

J. M. PARKER, from the Committee on Judiciary, submitted the following report:

MR SPEAKER:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred house file No. 83, a bill for an act amending section 2590 of the Code, in relation to changes of venue in civil cases, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration and have adopted a substitute therefor, and have instructed me to report the same back to the house with the recommendation that it do pass.

Ordered passed on file.

J. M. PARKER, *Chairman*.

SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE FILE NO. 83.]

A BILL

FOR AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 2590 OF THE CODE OF 1873, IN RELATION TO
CHANGES OF VENUE IN CIVIL CASES.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, That section 2590,
2 of the Code of 1873, be, and the same is hereby amended, by adding after the word “trial,” in the
3 last line of subdivision 3 of said section, the following :

4 3. *Provided*, that when application for a change in the place of trial is made on any of the
5 grounds stated in this subdivision, excepting the prejudice of the judge, the adverse party shall
6 have the right to bring the parties making the affidavits into court and cross-examine them as to
7 any matters alleged in said affidavits, and if the court is not satisfied that said application is made
8 in good faith, or that good ground therefor exists, he shall refuse to grant such change.